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MEMORANDUM FOR: C/OLL/Liaison Division

SUBJECT

: Request from the Survey and Investigations Staff of the House Appropriations Committee

(HAC)

- 1. HAC staffers John Goedtel and Charles Bolz are seeking DI background material on the Persian Gulf in connection with HAC's assessment of DoD requests for military construction funding to assist the US Rapid Deployment Force (RDF) in the Persian Gulf/Indian Ocean arena. The staffers are interested in the extent of political instability in the Gulf, and particularly among those states where the RDF is seeking facilities. They also want to discuss the oil export situation and degree of foreign dependence on Middle East oil.
- Both Goedtel and Bolz have SI/TK clearances and are part of the HAC S&I team that regularly comes to headquarters on Committee assignments. In fact, they have a room (1D49) reserved for their permanent use. We will provide a briefing on atmospherics in the Gulf and in Kenya and Somalia on 6 January at headquarters. If appropriate, we may also provide relevant reading material.

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